

1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate wish to  
3 express their sincere condolences to the family and friends  
4 of David Lee Litwiler, Sr. of Long Lake, Illinois, who  
5 recently passed away; and

6 WHEREAS, David Lee Litwiler, Sr. was born in Round Lake,  
7 Illinois, on November 16, 1933; his parents were Milton J.  
8 Litwiler and Norma A. Litwiler; and

9 WHEREAS, David Lee Litwiler, Sr. was a veteran of the  
10 United States Army, serving in the Korean War; he was a  
11 member of the International Union of Operating Engineers  
12 Local 150 in Countryside for twenty-five years; he was  
13 employed with the Donald D. McNeal Crane Corporation for  
14 twenty years, until his retirement in 1995; and

15 WHEREAS, Mr. Litwiler cared deeply for his church,  
16 Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church in Ingleside; the first  
17 church services were held in the home of his grandparents,  
18 and he continued the family tradition of caring for the  
19 church; he served as the chairman of the landscaping  
20 committee, and was making future plans for the church at the  
21 time of his passing; and

22 WHEREAS, Mr. Litwiler was a member of the Grant Township  
23 Republican Club, a twenty-year member of the Rising Sun  
24 Masonic Lodge #115 of Grayslake, and a member of the Eastern  
25 Star Sorosis Chapter in Grayslake; in 1980 Mr. Litwiler was  
26 appointed chairman of the Squaw Creek Drainage District,  
27 holding that position until 1996; and

28 WHEREAS, Mr. Litwiler was a former stock car owner and an  
29 avid fan of NASCAR; Mr. Litwiler was also a fan of boating  
30 and enjoyed spending time with his family and friends; and

31 WHEREAS, The passing of David Lee Litwiler, Sr. will be

1 deeply felt by his family and friends, especially his loving  
2 wife of more than thirty-nine years, Donna-Mae; his son,  
3 David Lee "D.L." Litwiler, Jr.; his daughter, Leslie Lynn  
4 (husband, Richard "Rick") White; his granddaughters, Nicole  
5 Lynn White and Danielle Werhan White; his brother, Milton J.  
6 (wife, Mona) Litwiler; his sister, Barbara J. (husband, the  
7 late Daniel) Zelenko; his aunt, Joan (husband, Donald)  
8 Hollenbeck; his uncles, Neil (wife, the late Betty) Werhan,  
9 and Frank "Buddy" (wife, the late Eva) Amann; his  
10 brother-in-law, Victor (wife, Billie) Nix, Jr.; and his many  
11 cousins, nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, and  
12 many friends; therefore, be it

13 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SECOND GENERAL  
14 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we extend our  
15 sympathies to the family and friends of David Lee Litwiler,  
16 Sr. at this time; and be it further

17 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
18 presented to the family of David Lee Litwiler, Sr.